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Proposed Class:
Subclass:

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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventors: Louis T. Fike

For (title): SEGMENTED MOLD FOR CURING TIRES

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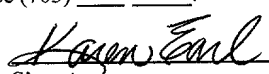
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1. Type of Application

This transmittal is for a divisional application.

2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application (35 U.S.C. Sections 119(e), 120, or 121)

The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. application. Enclosed are
ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S.
APPLICATION CLAIMED.

3. Papers Enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design)
Application

12 Page(s) of Specification

3 Page(s) of Claims

11 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Formal

B. Other Papers Enclosed

3 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney

1 Page(s) of abstract

4. Additional Papers Enclosed

Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. 1.98)

Form PTO-1449 (PTO/SB/08A and 08B); PTO Form 892

5. Declaration or Oath

Enclosed

Executed by:

* inventor.

6. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

7. Language

English

8. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED

Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$740.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	7	- 20 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	1	- 3 =	0 x	\$80.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$270.00	\$0.00

Filing Fee Calculation

\$740.00

9. Small Entity Statements

Status as small entity was claimed in prior application 09/596,004, filed on June 15, 2000, from which benefit is being claimed for this application under 35 U.S.C. SECTION 120, and which status as a small entity is still proper and desired.

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above)

\$370.00

10. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

Enclosed

Filing Fee

\$370.00

Total Fees Enclosed

\$370.00

11. Method of Payment of Fees

Check in the amount of \$370.00 is attached.

12. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 21-0800.

37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)

37 C.F.R. Section 1.17 (application processing fees)

13. Instructions as to Overpayment

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PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION CLAIMED**

14. Relate Back

Amend the specification by inserting, before the first line, the following sentence:

A. 35 U.S.C. Section 120

"This application claims the benefit of U.S. Patent Application No.:

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